

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates.

I am appalled at the current challenges to the current rules protecting our American media. We must maintain the Newspaper/Broadcast Cross Ownership rule, the National Broadcast ownership Rule, the Duopoly Rule, the Local Radio Ownership Rule, and the Dual Network Rule. These are crucial to the public interest and to democracy.